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05	LIMITED STATES DISTRICT COLUDT
06	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE
08	RICHARD A. KIRKHAM,) CASE NO. C05-1274-RSM-MAT)
09	Plaintiff,)
10	v.) ORDER CONTINUING STAY
11	J.I. BELFORD, Detective, King County Sheriff's Office,)
12	Defendant.
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14	This is a civil rights action filed under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. On October 14, 2005, this Court
15	Ordered that the instant action be stayed pursuant to <i>Younger v. Harris</i> , 401 U.S. 37 (1971), and
16	Gilbertson v. Albright, 381 F.3d 965 (9th Cir. 2004), pending notification from the parties that
17	plaintiff's criminal proceedings had been fully resolved in the state courts. On April 28, 2008, this
18	Court issued an Order directing the parties to update the Court on the status of plaintiff's criminal
19	proceedings. In response thereto, the parties advised the Court that the Washington Court of
20	Appeals has affirmed plaintiff's conviction, but plaintiff's petition for review remains pending in
21	the Washington Supreme Court.
22	Based upon the foregoing, the Court does hereby ORDER as follows:
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(1) The previously issued stay will remain in effect pending resolution of plaintiff's criminal case. The parties are directed to notify the Court when plaintiff's criminal proceedings have been fully resolved in the state courts.

(2) The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to plaintiff, to counsel for defendant, and to the Honorable Ricardo S. Martinez.

DATED this 19th day of June, 2008.

Mary Alice Theiler

United States Magistrate Judge

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